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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Lawrence W. Diamond et al.

Art Unit : 3672

Serial No. : 10/764,192

Examiner : William P. Neuder

Filed : January 23, 2004

Title : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR WELLBORE CLEARING

Commissioner for Patents

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

Correspondence relating to this application is enclosed. The required fees are computed below. Please apply any charges not covered, or any credits, to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Total Claims	43	-	46	=	0	\$0
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First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims						\$0

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 1 month extension of time.

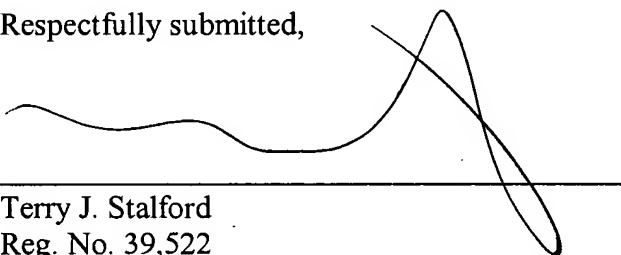
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TOTAL FEE DUE

\$320

A check for \$320 is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 18, 2006

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